

Bubbles or Medals.

"Best sarsaparilla." When you think of it how contradictory that term is. For there can be only one best in anything—one best sarsaparilla, as there is one highest mountain, one longest river, one deepest ocean. And that best sarsaparilla is—?.... There's the rub! You can measure mountain height and ocean depth, but how test sarsaparilla? You could if you were chemists. But then do you need to test it? The World's Fair Committee tested it,—and thoroughly. They went behind the label on the bottle. What did this sarsaparilla test result in? Every make of sarsaparilla shut out of the Fair, except Ayer's. So it was that Ayer's was the only sarsaparilla admitted to the World's Fair. The committee found it the best. They had no room for anything that was not the best. And as the best, Ayer's Sarsaparilla received the medal and awards due its merits. Remember the word "best" is a bubble any breath can blow; but there are pins to prick such bubbles. Those others are blowing more "best sarsaparilla" bubbles since the World's Fair pricked the old ones. True, but Ayer's Sarsaparilla has the medal. The pin that scratches the medal proves it gold. The pin that pricks the bubble proves it wind. We point to medals, not bubbles, when we say: The best sarsaparilla is Ayer's.

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A feature of the newest millinery is an increasing harmony of colors. Flower hats are still the rage, and as the season advances the artificial ones simulate nature's blossoms by being seasonable as well as clever copies. Aigrets are large and come in all colors. Fan shaped ends of lace are arranged to give the effect of height. All hats are tilted well over the eyes, and even bonnets are worn well forward. This requires a careful arrangement of the hair at the back. Jeweled quills are very effective, and paradise plumes are gaining in popularity. Middle aged women wear low crowned, medium sized brims, in shades of green straw, trimmed with



BONNET FOR MATRON.

pink roses and an abundance of foliage. A pleasing bonnet for a matron is black, with rosettes formed of loops of the new satin straw. Lace edged lisse fans start from a handsome jet ornament, and the spray at the side is accompanied by two upstanding quills at the back.

The only very noticeable change in outline in the newest gowns is seen in the sleeves, which are beginning to follow the contour of the arms again. The return of the balayuse and the rumor that the skirts of walking dresses are to be shortened are indications that the fullness is to be diminished at no distant day. Ruches of silk are now placed on the inside of the handsome street dresses, and evening gowns show ruffles of lace and chiffon, as a balayuse, to keep the skirt out from the bottom. White gowns are being much worn for informal as well as dressy occasions, and these are properly accompanied by white lace, ribbons and parasols.

Dress trimmings include embroideries of almost every description, and iridescent beads play a conspicuous part in the mixtures. Paillettes and jewels of some sort appear on almost everything—hats, bonnets, gowns and capes alike. Gorgeous buttons and fancy braids carry out the scheme of decoration still further. The variety in bodice trimming is beyond any complete description, for new ideas and combinations are constantly appearing.

The newest skirts are, many of them, trimmed, some with flat bands of velvet, silk or lace. Ruches of all sorts are used for dress trimmings, and they are made of lace, net, chiffon or silk in various widths, to suit their purpose. Tiny ruches of silk or lace outline the skirt seams, and wider ruches trim the bottom, finish the sleeve caplets and adorn many a little cape.

Silk canvas is a favorite dress material. So is foulard silk, which this summer takes the place of china silk. There is an infinite variety of all sorts of little turnover collars and cuffs of linen batiste and lace.

Blouses and bodices are exceptionally attractive. Nothing could be more stylish than a smart blouse in heliotrope china silk, zonzave shape, and trimmed with fine cream colored lace applique. The lisse front was tucked and enhanced with an insertion of lace.

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